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EXCELLENT RECEPTION GIVEN STANISLAUS BAND IN COLUMBIA

Last Wednesday the Saint Stanislaus Band journeyed to Columbia, Miss., and gave a concert that night in the Columbia High School Auditorium. This concert was sponsored by the Columbia School Band which is under the direction of Mr. H. F. Lane. A large audience attended the program and the local musicians gave a good account of themselves by the artistic rendition of the various selections.

At four o'clock in the afternoon the Prentiss Band and the Columbia Band paraded through town as a final reminder of the concert to be held that night. The St. Stanislaus Band arrived too late to take part in the parade. At six o'clock all three bands were taken to the school cafeteria where they were served a very delicious supper by the Band Mothers Auxiliary. The concert began at 7:45 P. M. and was opened with a short address of welcome by Mr. J. O. Snowden, Supt. of the Columbia Schools. After the concert the band students were entertained with a dance and refreshments in the recreation hall of the school. The Saint Stanislaus Dance Orchestra supplied the music for the dance.

It was a very enjoyable trip for the students of the local band. They are still talking about the generous hospitality given them by the "swell people" of Columbia, and they wish to express their sincere appreciation for all the courtesies extended them.

They also want to take this opportunity to express their gratitude to Brother Casimir for the interest which he is taking in the band and for making the trip with them to Columbia. They also want to thank our local people who are followers and supporters of the activities sponsored by the Saint Stanislaus Band; but, especially so on this occasion, those who offered the use of their cars to bring the band students to Columbia.

Quota For Old Men Of Mississippi Short

Don't forget that the quota of \$480 for the Homeless Old Men of Mississippi has not been reached. Send in your contribution to Mrs. W. L. Bourgeois now and meet the small quota.

What is more appealing than a homeless old person? Many are, so let's take care of our own and contribute liberally today.

Youth Fellowship Group Meets

The Youth Fellowship group of the Methodist Church met at the home of Mrs. T. T. Robin on Sunday evening for their regular monthly supper and social hour. Mrs. P. E. Pierce was in charge of the program. There were nineteen of the young people present.

S. J. A. Chatter

By Udel Favre, Senior Basketball is the current sport that if of interest to sport-loving ans and the Gold Jays have been very active this year with only 2 games lost out of the eleven played.

Tuesday, January 25th, they met Picayune High at St. Stanislaus gym. The final score was S. J. A. 23, Picayune 16. Thais Gardebele was top scorer with 14 points to her credit.

Friday, January 18th, the team was defeated by Gulfport High at Gulfport by two points. The score was Gulfport 26, S. J. A. 24.

Sunday, January 20th, they defeated Our Lady of Victory from Pass-a-goula with a score of 34-14. Again Thais Gardebele was top scorer for the evening with 19 points to her credit.

Our junior team was defeated by the junior team of Our Lady of Victory by a score of 22-18.

The Dramatic Club is rehearsing the play "Here Comes Charlie" to be staged February 11th.

Saturday night many of the day scholars and boarders attended the dance given at St. Stanislaus and all reported having a most enjoyable evening.

Friday, January 25th, the S. J. A. and St. Stanislaus Varsity teams played a benefit game for the March of Dimes Campaign. S. J. A. won their game while St. Stanislaus lost to the Lyman boys.

The next Coast Union Sodality meeting is to be held on Monday, February 4th, at St. Stanislaus. The Topic under discussion will be "Vocations."

At a recent meeting of the Senior Class they chose "Love, Labor, Laugh" as their motto, blue and silver for class colors, the white lamb as the mascot; the class song will consist of a parody on "Remember When," and the white carnation as the class flower.

Six week exams began on Wednesday, January 16th and ended on Friday.

Open Letter of Reverend Philip E. Pierce Methodist Pastor To Members Of The Legislature

We are reproducing herewith an open letter addressed to Messers. H. K. Rouse, State Senator, and Francis Lee, Hancock County Representative from Reverend Philip E. Pierce, Pastor of the Methodist Church of Bay St. Louis.

January 28, 1946

Mr. H. K. Rouse, State Senator, and Francis Lee, Hancock County Representative

State Capitol

Jackson, Miss.

Dear Mr. Lee and Mr. Rouse:

The Methodist Church is interested in the repeal of the "Black Market Law" for Mississippi. In operation this law has not aided in the enforcement of the state temperature laws.

Mrs. Douglas was a native of Bay St. Louis and was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Casimir Fayard. She was the mother of the late Major Nolan R. Peyroux, Army, who died in March 1943 and was buried here beside his father the late Dr. Aphunce Peyroux of New Orleans.

Mrs. Douglas' marriage to Dr. Peyroux was consummated in the present Methodist church where she was the organist and was the first wedding to be held in that building.

Mrs. Douglas was married after the death of Dr. Peyroux, to the late Mr. Ned Beyer but there were no children from this union.

Besides her husband she is survived by a half brother, Mr. Paul Delcote of this city and a sister, Mrs. S. C. Moore of Shreveport, La., and several nieces and nephews.

It is hard to associate death with Mrs. Douglas. She was a handsome, brilliant woman, who brought gayety to any group of which she was a part. Many very pleasant associations with the deceased are remembered by her numerous friends and it is with deep regret that her death is chronicled. Deep sympathy is extended to her family.

Dr. Bedford F. Floyd, Jr., Formerly of Memphis Locates Here

Dr. Bedford F. Floyd, Jr., formerly of Memphis, has moved to Bay St. Louis and is now engaged in the practice of surgery and medicine. He is a brother of Mrs. John Bell.

Dr. Floyd was born in Panola County, Mississippi, and received his primary education at Gulf Coast Military Academy and at Bell Buckle, Tennessee. He received his B. A. Degree from the University of Mississippi and his M. D. Degree from the University of Tennessee.

He served an internship of eighteen months at John Gaston Hospital in Memphis, and was awarded a fellowship in surgery in the Cleveland Clinic Foundation of Cleveland, Ohio. He practiced in Memphis for nine years, where he was a member of the visiting staff of the John Gaston, Baptist, Methodist and St. Joseph's Hospitals. He is a fellow of the American College of Surgeons and a member of the Memphis Surgical Society.

In 1942 he volunteered in the United States Navy and was ordered to duty with the rank of Lieutenant Commander which rank he held until July 1944, when he was promoted to Commander. While in the Navy he served at many of the Naval Air Stations in this country, and then was ordered to duty as Senior Medical Officer aboard an aircraft carrier in the Pacific Area where he served from June 1944 to Nov. 1945.

Bay St. Louis and Hancock County as a whole are very fortunate in having a surgeon of Dr. Floyd's experience come here.

We are certain that the people will deeply appreciate this in view of the fact that there is such a shortage of doctors throughout the country.

Marquar, Bay High 136 lbs. and Galle, 142 lbs., fought a 3-round draw. Referee Heitzman had to stop this fight after 30 seconds and warn the boys that the spectators were not at a "killing."

The next match will be between Bay High and G. C. M. A. in Bay St. Louis on February 7.

The S. J. A. Dramatic Club will present "Here Comes Charlie," on Monday, February 11th at 8:00 P. M. in the S. J. A. Gym.

Quick action, vivid dialogue, original and life like characters will make this presentation a joyous, rollicking comedy.

The cast includes:

Nora Malone a typical Irish Maid—Betty Joyce Reeves.

Officer Tim McGill, a stalwart young policeman—Helen Martinson.

Mrs. Fanny Farlinham, a comely matron in her early forties—Dorothy Simons.

Larry Elliott—a debonair kindly young business man—Jeanne Arceneaux.

Ted Hartley—Larry's pal—a keen, lively, cynical chap—Margie Horlock.

Vivian Smythe Kersey—a spoiled and scheming society girl—Rosemary Piazza.

Uncle Aleck Twiggs—a typical stage hick—Dolores Parker.

Dorothy Cormier.

Mrs. Caroline Smythe Kersey—a snobbish and arrogant matron—Solita Hartman.

Mortimer—a vacuous-looking youth with a bored and languid air—Joy Monti.

Here Comes Charlie promises an evening's entertainment that will keep you laughing from curtain to curtain. The plot is not only hilarious but novel and intriguing in its ramifications.

Don't miss it.

Fire Destroys Cottage

The three room cottage on Washington Street Road owned and occupied by E. F. Cotton was completely destroyed by fire on Saturday night. All household effects were likewise destroyed and it is reported that Mr. and Mrs. Cotton barely escaped. Origin of the fire is not known but it caught late into the night and was well underway when discovered.

Mrs. Laura Fayard Douglas Dies at Jacksonville, Texas

Mrs. Laura Fayard Douglas, wife of F. L. Douglas of Jacksonville, Texas, died on Thursday, January 24 following an illness of several months. The funeral was held on Sunday, January 25 at 4 p. m., with the rites of the Methodist church. Interment was in Jacksonville.

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ALBERT JONES, 52, DIES AT NEW ORLEANS

Albert Jones, 52 years of age, died Saturday, January 26 at 1:55 a. m. at his home 8529 Forshey street, New Orleans, following an extended illness. His funeral was held at 4 o'clock on Sunday afternoon from the McMahon and Sons Funeral Home with services at Incarnate Word Church. Interment was in Greenwood cemetery.

Mr. Jones leaves his wife, a step-daughter Mrs. J. P. Kruebbe, two stepsons Walter and Frank Mooney all of New Orleans. He also leaves four sisters, Mrs. Lottie Heitzman, Mrs. Mable Piazza, Mrs. Lizzie Capdepon and Miss Lillie Jones and a brother James Jones all of Bay St. Louis.

Mr. Jones was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jones and was a native of Waveland but spent his early life in Bay St. Louis where his parents took up residence. He was connected with the Illinois Central Railroad in the New Orleans office and was a member of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and of the New Orleans Fire Department.

The drive will open officially on the first day of March, and the motto is SPEED. National Chapter hopes to have all contributions in by the ninth of March. This is going to mean snappy work on the part of those volunteers whose jobs are collections. Remember when you are called upon, that the Red Cross functions for Peace time work, as well as for war. There is still a great aftermath of war work to be done, and in addition a great program for peace work. This is your Red Cross. An organization of which you are very proud, so when the call is made give with an open hand. Remember your Red Cross is at His side, an Angel of Mercy during the dark days of strife.

Plans Shaping For Annual Carnival

Plans are shaping up for the Carnival Ball which has been set for the date of March first and the committee has been named.

This ball is always Bay St. Louis Big Night so keep the date in mind March 1 at St. Joseph's Hall. The St. Joseph Academy Mothers' Club is sponsoring this affair and true citizenship means cooperation because the proceeds of this go to the S. J. A. Building Fund.

The following are the complete committees: Court Committee: Leo W. Seal chairman, Mrs. Roger Boh, Mrs. M. A. Gilmore, Mrs. Walter J. Gex, Ticket Committee: Howard LeTissier, chairman; Mrs. John Bell, Mrs. René DeMontuzin, Jr., Mrs. George Stevenson, Mrs. Eduard Carrere and Miss Levia Engman. Publicity Committee: Miss May H. Edwards, chairman; Mrs. L. S. Elliott. Decorating Committee: Mrs. L. A. Rogers, chairman, Mesdames Louis Maumus, H. A. Eldredge, P. G. Bernheim, Edward Murtagh, E. J. Arceaux, Jr., Miss Kathleen Renshaw, Sisters of St. Joseph, Brothers Felician and Flavian, E. J. Arceaux, Jr., L. A. Rogers, Horace Farr, Edward Murtagh, Jr., Flower Committee: Mrs. Walter J. Gex, Jr., Mrs. George Mrs. H. A. Eldredge.

Cloak Committee: Miss Louise Armstrong. Floor Committee: Eduoard C. Carrere who will select his committee. Lighting: George Stevenson, Band: E. J. Arceaux and A. A. Scafide.

Victory Clothing Collection Parade

Despite the slow drizzle which fell most of Wednesday the Bay St. Louis Rotarians put on a good show in their Victory Clothing Collection parade at 1 o'clock Wednesday.

Against the grey of the skies flashed the red and black of the uniforms of St. Stanislaus with the drum Major Rodney Ratson stepping high. And Bay High boys and girls pleased as punch in their new blue and gold uniforms with pretty Loraine Lott of Kiln as Drum Major in her glittering costume.

The Rotarians were smiling as they tossed into the reception the garments which they had worn but of which they were shorn, to be sent to their less fortunate brothers across the sea.

E. P. Kirkpatrick, chairman of the V. C. C. has extended the date from January 31 through February 5 and urges that all clothing be in by that date. The quota for the county is 3,000 garments so get yours in if you have not already done so.

Home From Japan

Staff Sergeant Joe Cook, Kelley, is home from Japan after more than three years of service, two of which were spent overseas in the Ordnance Department as foremen inspector. He is the son of T. E. Kelley and is a graduate of Bay High.

The United States Merchant Marine Cadets, who are rated tops in basketball performances, having lost only one game this season, will vie against an equally strong five from East Mississippi Junior College.

This game is being sponsored by the Bay-Waveland Garden Club, whose members are working so earnestly to make a dream into a reality. So come to the game. A grand evening of sport entertainment is promised, and the cause is such a worthy one, that we feel sure all will want to share in the raising of funds for something that will bring such happiness to the entire County.

Advance tickets are on sale now, and may be purchased by calling Mrs. Richard Shadoin, 274-J. Admission for adults will be 50¢, students 25¢.

Betty Lou Peterson, 14 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Peterson of this city died at the home of her parents on Sunday, January 27. The funeral was held on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Fahey Funeral Home, the Rev. Father John Martin officiating. Interment was in Cedar Rest cemetery.

Besides her parents she is survived by a sister Mrs. Marjorie Garcia and a brother.

Sympathy is extended to the family.

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Bay St. Louis, Miss., under Act of March 3, 1879.**HOW ABOUT EXPERIMENTING?**

THE question of the action of the Senate on Repeal of the Black Market Tax is in doubt. The vote on Wednesday was very close, and it all depends on the ruling of the presiding officer, and as to whether or not his ruling will be upheld, if he should hold that three-fifths majority was required to repeal the tax.

We do not believe that it is as much a question of the tax involved in this matter as it is the question of liquor.

The debates throughout the whole session on Wednesday afternoon was on the question of the liquor laws.

The laxity in the enforcement of the liquor laws in our State lies at the doorsteps of the Legislature. We have contended that if the Legislature would have the courage to vote a local option bill with teeth in it and allow the people to decide the issue, that we could then expect law enforcement.

Hancock County has always been considered one of the most liberal counties on the liquor question in the State of Mississippi.

We contend that prohibition will never be enforced in this County. That it will be sold in some manner as long as it is made, and that will be as long as a people exist.

We realize and know that this is not a healthy condition for the moral welfare of our people and we feel that something should be done in the matter. We feel that we should have a controlled sale of liquor. Establishments properly licensed and operating under a state commission.

The Black Market Tax was given a trial, so why not give to a small section of the state, the Gulfcoast, the right of local option, and let us have an experiment for two years. If liquor is legalized by a vote of the people and if conditions do not improve the law can be repealed in 1948; and if the people do not want the sale of liquor down here, certainly they can vote it out and this will be a notice to the law enforcement officers as to what their constituency expects.

The members of the Legislature certainly could not object to this procedure. In adopting this method an experiment will be carried on in the section of the state that has been a hot bed for liquor sale for many, many years, and we feel that it will lend much improvement to the situation that exists at the present time.

A REWARD FOR FAITHFUL SERVICE

FEELING that some recognition should be given to the men who gave their time and who rendered a service to their country serving as members of the Local Draft Boards throughout the country under the Selective Service System, the United States Congress authorized an award of the Selective Service Medal to be made to the members of these boards who had served for more than two years. On the face of the medal is the Selective System seal and the inscription World War II, and on the reverse side "awarded in the name of the Congress of the United States for faithful and loyal service." We know that the award made to the members of the Hancock County Draft Board and their associates was duly earned. They have rendered faithful and loyal service. These men who have constituted the Local Draft Board are outstanding businessmen of our County. Each of them had sons in the service of their country. The work of the Selective Service System did not mean the naming of individuals to be sent either into the Army, Navy and Marine Corps of the United States; it meant the placing of men in the service of the Country regardless of who they may have been. To them it meant the filling of a quota as assigned by their superiors. They knew well, upon the acceptance of their appointment as members of the Draft Board that their duties would not always be pleasant. They realized that upon them was placed the burden of taking the youth of our country from their homes and families. Their's under any circumstance could not be a pleasant job. These men, veterans of World War I, headed about their job very methodically and weighing every case as it came before them rendered the decisions as their hearts and minds guided them. It can be truthfully said that personal feelings have never entered into decisions of the Local Draft Board. Some errors may have been made and if they were, we are certain that they were mistakes of the head and not of the heart. We believe that this board leaned backwards in many instances to do what they thought was right and to be above reproach and criticism. We are indeed happy that some recognition has been given these men and their associates who rendered a faithful and loyal service to their country.

MIGHT "RUN OUT OF ARMY"

IT is not creditable to the Congress or the people of the United States that General Eisenhower has to appeal for "calm judgement and sound discipline" to replace the hysteria that has been connected with demobilization of our fighting forces.

The leader of our successful campaign in Europe says frankly that the alternative is for the Army to throw in the sponge on its principal mission, occupational duties and the protection of billions of dollars worth of property still overseas.

The Chief of Staff made a personal appeal to the Senators and Representatives to support the Army in its effort to meet the problem plaguing it wherever men are overseas. He frankly admitted that the War Department could not live up to the "hope" of General Marshall that all men with two years' service would be discharged this spring and warned that if demobilization was accelerated beyond present plans the nation will literally "run out of Army."

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But this record also indicates that our people have had the forethought to put something by for the future—that they have been frugal as well as busy.

And their thrift was not confined to cash balances on deposit and bank savings. They have invested in War Bonds, Life Insurance and Annuities. They have paid debts, lifted mortgages, bought homes, expanded businesses and strengthened their credit.

In our conversion from War to Peace it is difficult to believe that our total prosperity can immediately

reach new peaks and this bank go on breaking its past records.

There has been an acute shortage of goods, and when the internal strife now crippling industry settles down, old money may flow out of this community faster than new money flows in. A lot of cash will leave the Coast to pay for cars, tires, synthetic stockings and automatic refrigerators.

Therefore, our local problem is one of new production, of providing payrolls to take the place of a war-stimulated prosperity—of finding new ways to make money.

Conservatively speaking, we can go ahead in this community only through increased production and thrift. Only by our resourcefulness, our industry and our frugality can we build our permanent prosperity upon a firm foundation.

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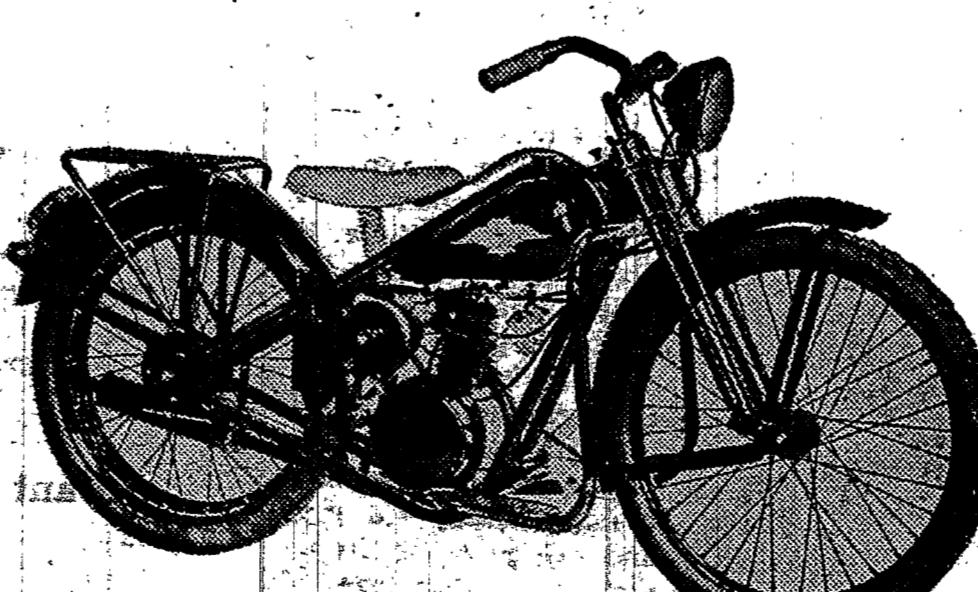
It has just been learned that Mr. Gus Summerour, Hancock County FSA Supervisor, is being transferred

to Leakesville, Miss.

Mr. Summerour, after spending 33 months in the Army, returned to Hancock County the latter part of December to take up his duties here. He had been stationed here just prior to his entry into the Army.

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THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Mrs. Agnes Catherine Muller Carver

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Fourth Monday of February, A. D. 1946, to defend the suit No. 5061 in said Court of Henry S. Carter, wherein you are a defendant.

This 18th day of January, A. D. 1946.

(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Elo Gidry Jr.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Fourth Monday of February, A. D. 1946, to defend the suit No. 5059 in said Court of Lottie Mae Garcia Gidry, wherein you are a defendant.

This 16th day of January A. D. 1946.

(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Leon E. Perry, Jr.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Fourth Monday of February, A. D. 1946, to defend the suit No. 5060 in said Court of Bessie Deadeux Perry, wherein you are a defendant.

This 16th day of January A. D. 1946.

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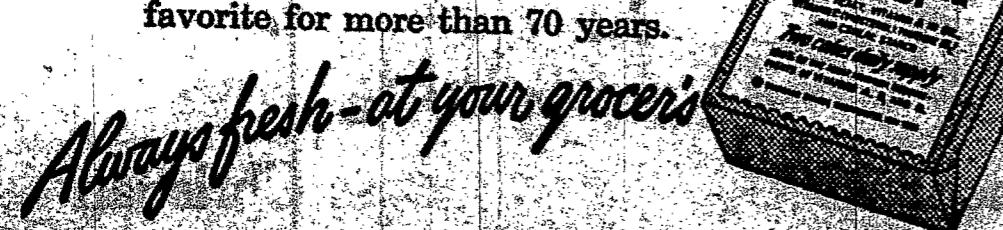
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To Direct Campaign To Raise Funds To Fight Cancer

Appointed campaign chairman for Mississippi by the American Cancer Society for the second year, Dr. Felix J. Underwood of Jackson will direct the state-wide campaign to raise funds for combating a disease which took over 1600 lives in Mississippi during 1945. Last fall Dr. Underwood attended the regional meeting of the Society in Durham, North Carolina, and took part in making plans for the 1946 campaign. Funds raised in the state will be expended through the Mississippi Division of the American Cancer Society. The annual meeting of the national society will be held in Mississippi this fall. Since the beginning of the effort to control cancer in the state, many counties have organized local units through which they can carry out their activities most effectively in cooperation with state and national organizations.

"Death is an index of need for immediate expansion of programs," said Dr. Underwood. "Science and medicine have proved that one-third to one-half of such deaths are unnecessary, if treated promptly and properly; most cases of early cancer are curable. In view of the fact that there are over 5000 known cases of cancer in Mississippi now, it is high time for the state to raise funds enough to accomplish something in controlling cancer. Scientific knowledge and public enlightenment can be used in the fight against cancer just as they have been used against such other diseases as typhoid fever, smallpox, diphtheria and other diseases. The cancer problem is not a simple one; there is no immunization against it as yet. But with public health education about the early recognition of symptoms and prompt use of surgery, x-ray or radium in treating it, cancer can be brought under control and the ravages of a disease that kills men and women in the best earning years of their lives can be stopped. Twice the number of Americans are killed by cancer during the war years as were killed by Germans and Japs combined. Perhaps no other disease has broken up as many homes and left as many orphans."

Calling on all Mississippians to assist in this campaign, Dr. Underwood said that the goal for this year is at least \$66,000, with which those who are suffering from cancer can be aided and an educational program can be continuously carried on. Adequate detection facilities are badly needed.

Dr. Underwood is a former president of the American Public Health Association, State and Provincial Authorities, and the Southern Medical Association. Since 1924 he has been State Health Officer for Mississippi. He is also member of the Health Advisory Council of the United States Chamber of Commerce and of the Medical and Health Survey Committee of the American Red Cross.

Lot No. 26 in the Fourth Ward of the Town of Waveland, said county and state, according to the official plat of said town made by E. S. Drake, Civil Engineer, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the Chancery Court of said county on July 5, 1905. Being the same land acquired by the said Walter F. Carroll in his lifetime from Catherine Helbach and her husband by deed dated May 18, 1904 and recorded in Book A-7, pages 580-581 of the deed records of said county.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Fourth Monday of February, A. D. 1946, to defend the suit No. 5066 in said Court of Mrs. Maxim P. Carroll, Gladys Carroll Beck, Mrs. Irma Carroll Oppenheimer and Malcolm Carroll.

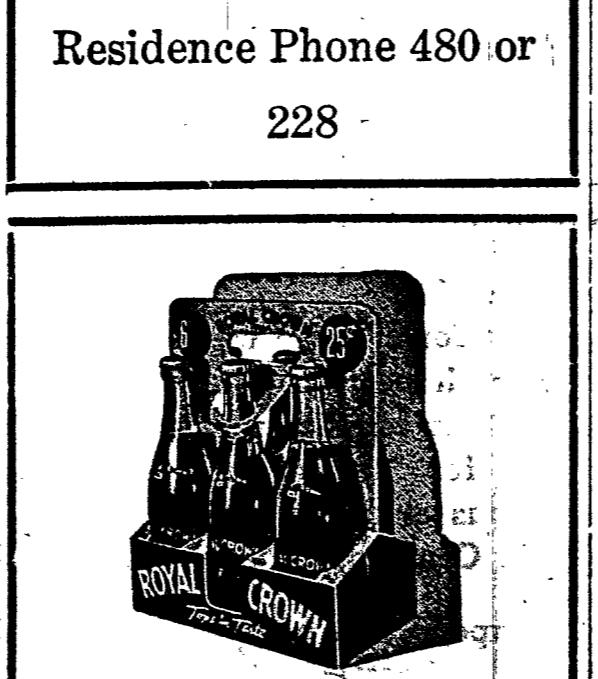
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This 28th day of January, A. D. 1946.

(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

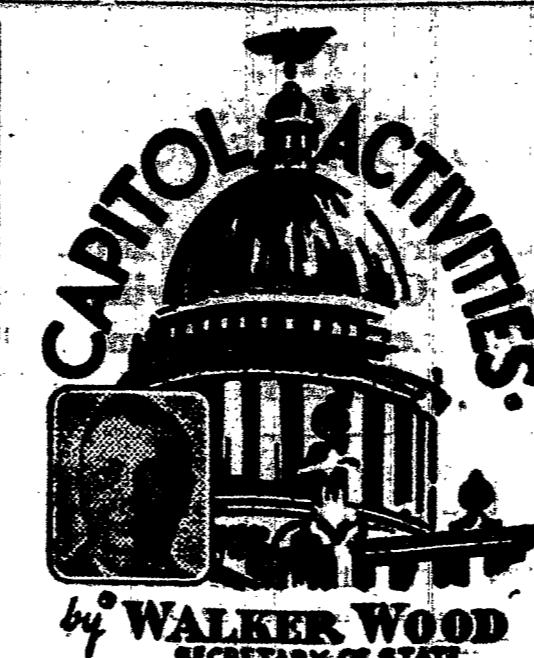
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by WALKER WOOD
SECRETARY OF STATE

THE LEGISLATURE

The Mississippi Legislature convened in Jackson at noon on Tuesday of last week Jan. 8, with Lieutenant Governor Fielding Wright and Speaker Walter Sillers at the controls in the respective Houses. Gov. Bailey was ill and unable to appear to deliver his biennial message, so that was deferred until this week. House Bill No. 1 was passed and sent to the Senate and later passed that body and found its way to the office of Gov. Bailey. Ten new members, four in the Senate and six in the House, took the oath of office.

Information secured as of this date indicates that it will be necessary to increase production of southern yellow pine poles in the sizes given above in order to meet the current demands of REA and other users.

The following information, which is believed generally applicable in the South, gives some idea of the stumpage values that exist in these classifications: Class 7-30 foot to

Class 4-50 foot, 25% to 30% rough-peeled ceiling prices. Class 4-55 foot to Class 3-60 foot, 35% or rough peeled ceiling prices.

Cutting and rough peeling is based on a piece rate of 1c per linear foot up to 30-ft. length and 1 1/2 c per linear foot for 30 ft. and larger. Contrast rates for skidding average about 4c and for skidding and hauling about 6c per cubic foot of pole volume.

The State Forest Service points out that Maximum Price Regulations 491

and 559 obtainable from the OPA apply to southern pine poles. It is suggested that these regulations be obtained by stumpage owners of this variety of cutting before placing their products on the market.

Forest Service officials point out that farm woodlands and old field stands are believed to be fruitful sources of material, especially in the size and classes needed for REA line construction and maintenance.

The farm woodland owner also

should give some consideration to the added income which he may obtain through the labor incident to cutting, skidding, and rough-peeling of this product.

It is suggested that farm woodland owners consult pole contractors or buyers and make arrangements for the sale and disposal before actually beginning the cutting project.

To aid in meeting this shortage the United States Forest Service has designated Forester Paul Russell of Montgomery, Alabama, to assist the REA for a six month period in this project.

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CEILING ON COTTON

One of the first resolutions passed by the Senate was in opposition to a ceiling price on raw cotton, which has been proposed in Washington. It was pointed out in the resolution that a ceiling price on raw cotton would be a great handicap to cotton farmers. Farmers all over the South are voicing their protests against the movement for a ceiling on raw cotton.

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LEWIS MAY PASSES

Lewis S. May, former State Treasurer, died in his home of Brandon on Wednesday morning of last week after an illness of more than five months. Mr. May was 72 years old, had served two terms as State Treasurer, and at the time of his death was bond clerk under Newton James, present incumbent.

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TERRY RESIGNS

Edd Terry, who served for the past several years as private secretary to Sen. Bibb, has resigned that position to take effect January 15. Mr. Terry has not been in real good health for the past several months and that has probably influenced the course he has taken.

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JUDGE KIMBROUGH DIES

Judge T. C. Kimbrough, for many years dean of the law school at the University of Mississippi, died at his home on the campus Monday of last week. Judge Kimbrough was 72 years of age.

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BOND DRIVE FINISHED

The 8th and final war bond drive has gone over its quota in Mississippi. Each time in eight drives the state has exceeded its quota.

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CREOMULSION

The Illinois Central System, always progressive and co-operative in movements and measures for safety and the common good, is making a special effort to reduce accidents at railroad crossings in Mississippi. A report for 1943 shows 81

accidents on that line for each 1,000 registration in the state; the 1944 record on the same basis is 73 accidents.—Knox Brown, State Supervisor of Junior Colleges, has resigned that position to become Field Representative of the United States Office of Education. State Superintendent Tubb expects to name Mr. Broome's successor in a very few days.—Andrew J. Higgins, president of the Higgins Industries, Inc., New Orleans, has announced that he plans to reopen his big plants and that he will employ more than 12,000 people when he begins operation again.

If Republicans can increase their number in the lower House of Congress this year by thirty-six they will have control of the House. They are making plans for an aggressive fight in the hope that they may pick up the extra three dozen members.

Bolivar and Sunflower Counties are running a close race again this year as to which county will lead in the production of cotton. The last report gives Sunflower the edge on Bolivar.—The former reported 119,450 bales and the latter 107,359 bales ginned up to December 13.

It is reported that Foster General Hospital is soon to pass to the management of the Veterans Administration. The offices for Veterans, now located in the Postoffice Bldg., are to be moved to the new location.

One thing the people of the state

will watch closely as the Legislature goes on with its work in the matter of highway construction.

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ROCKAWAYS WINNING

The Rockaways winning streak was rudely interrupted by Lyman last Friday night and they lost 51-43. This defeat takes nothing from the locals however, and except for a few minutes of listless play on the part of the winners.

The St. Joseph Academy girls defeated Lyman Girls 29-23.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration on the Estate of Mrs. Loretta Mayo, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 28th day of January, A. D. 1946, and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court, within six months from this date, and failure to do so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

This the 28th day of January, A. D. 1946.

JERRY MAYO,

Administrator of the Estate of Mrs. Loretta Mayo, Deceased.

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CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

To the Heirs at law of Paul Victor Lacoste, Deceased.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Fourth Monday of February, A. D. 1946, to defend the suit No. 5056 in said Court of Mrs. Laura Dowling Lacoste; wherein you are defendants; being a suit by the said

Mrs. Laura Dowling Lacoste, petitioning that she be recognized as the sole and only heir at law of

Paul Victor Lacoste, Deceased, and as such placed in possession of the estate, both real and personal of the said Paul Victor Lacoste, deceased.

This 16th day of January, A. D. 1946.

(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

POLE SHORTAGE FOR REA LINES

Extension of Rural Electrification Administration lines in rural areas is being retarded because there are not adequate supplies of creosoted poles in the lengths and classes desired for this use. The most urgent need is for poles of thirty and thirty-five foot lengths in classes 6 and 7.

State Forester, Albert A. Leggett, has pointed out that these lengths and classes can often be obtained from timber stand improvement cuttings in crowded, young stands of pine timber.

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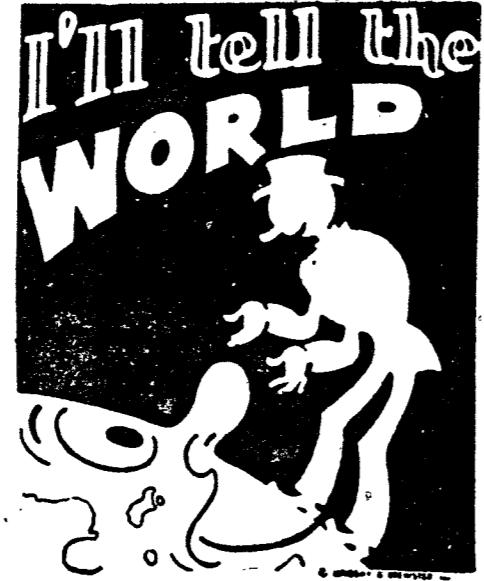
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THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Delvalle H. Theard, c/o Parish Prison, New Orleans, Louisiana; Joseph T. Meyer, c/o E. A. Parsons, Attorney, Carondelet Bldg., New Orleans, Louisiana; James G. Bennett, 605 N. Broad Street, New Orleans, Louisiana; Frank S. Norman, c/o Hibernal Building, New Orleans, Louisiana; Mrs. Mathilde Theard, 1052 North Carrollton Ave., New Orleans, La.; Emile M. Doll, 716 St. Ferdinand Street, New Orleans, Louisiana;

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Fourth Monday of February, A. D. 1946 to defend the suit No. 5075 in said Court of Mrs. Marie Theard Moses, et al. Being a suit to partition Lots 188 and 189, Fourth Ward, City of Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Miss. wherein you are a defendant.

This 31st day of January, A. D. 1946.

(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

Screen play by Bruce Manning, John Klarer and Leonard Lee. Based upon the play entitled "Come Prima Megal De Prima" by Luigi Prandelli

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City Echoes

Mrs. George R. Rea left Wednesday for Lakewood, Ohio, called there by the illness of her mother.

Mrs. Alden Maufray, Larry Maufray and Albert Ranson spent Thursday in New Orleans.

Miss Ann Ingram has accepted a position with the Reconstruction Finance Corporation in Washington, D. C.

Clement R. Cook of Jackson and Bob Lieber, Dowagiac, Michigan, were week end guests of Rev. and Mrs. P. E. Pierce.

Mrs. J. R. Scharff is able to be up after two weeks being confined to her bed. Mrs. Scharff is suffering an aftermath of flu.

Mrs. Roger Heitzmann is again up after a week's illness which was due to an infection which has practically cleared up.

Miss Violet Arceneaux now of New Orleans, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Arceneaux at their home in South Beach.

Mrs. E. N. Ranson went into New Orleans on Thursday to attend the Opera Carmen at the Municipal Auditorium.

Lieut. (j. g.) Edwin Wiltz Edwards U. S. N. M. C. is in the states on re-assignment leave and was a guest on Thursday of relatives here.

Torres LeBrun, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis LeBrun of the Edwardsville community is pneumonia patient at the Kings Daughters Hospital here.

We are pleased to know that G. F. Rooney, Bay High band leader, is again meeting his classes after a few days illness which kept him confined to his bed.

Mrs. L. A. Rogers and Mrs. Louis Maumus spent Tuesday in New Orleans on a business trip in connection with the Carnival Ball to be given here on March First.

Misses Elsie and Marie Tudury left this week for Atlanta, Georgia, where they have accepted temporary positions with the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company.

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SCARBOROUGH REUNION

A reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Scarborough recently when they had their entire family home with them for a reunion on the O. S. T. All their children were present. Also Mrs. Albert Ploue, Miss Lillian LaFrance, Mrs. I. Joyner, Miss Adelaide LaFrance.

It was also Mrs. Tartavouille's birthday and also that of her grandson Norman Tartavouille who had just returned from overseas, and his wife was present. All had a grand time. Birthday and anniversary cakes were cut.

Hospital Notes

Mr. and Mrs. August Adam Kiln, announce the birth of a son, August James Adam, on Friday, January 25, 1946.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Rhodes announce the birth of a son, Charley Rhodes II on Saturday, January 26, 1946. Mrs. Rhodes is the former Miss Genevieve Monti of this city.

Miss Margaret Prince who was a medical patient has been discharged.

The regular Wednesday one-table Bridge Club met this week with Mrs. E. R. Ranson at her home on South Beach. Those playing were Mrs. Millard Touline, Mrs. John Scammon, Miss Alice Curran and Mrs. Ranson.

—Mr. and Mrs. Russell J. Elliott returned home on Tuesday of last week from Holyoke, Mass., where he received his honorable discharge. Russell, a sergeant, spent over three years in the Army Air Corps. He and Mrs. Elliott plan to make their home in Bay St. Louis.

—Guests over the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Davis were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bouet and daughter of Bogalusa, La.

ROSES

89c

Betty Uprichard
Paul Scarlet

Red Radiance
Paul Neyron

EVERGREENS

39c

Blue Chinese Juniper Golden Ball
Baker Arbor Vitae Junipers
Berkens Golden Ball Arbor Vitae

SHRUBS

89c

Mock Orange Weigelia
Althea Durizia
Red Bush Honeysuckle Hydrangea
Shrub Spirea Van Houtte

Kern's 5 & 10c Store

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Attend Alumnae Banquet

Those going from Bay St. Louis to the University of Mississippi Alumnae Banquet at Gulfport on Thursday evening were W. J. Gex, D. M. Russell, Dr. C. M. Shipp, Emile Geer and Ell Kenney. The banquet was given at the Markham Hotel honoring Coach "Red" Drew, new football coach at the university.

Gaston Hewes, Gulfport, was master of ceremonies and the speakers of the evening were Judge D. M. Russell, Judge L. C. Corbin, Mitchell Salloum, David Cottrell, Coach Drew and Coach "Tadpole" Smith athletic director of the university.

—Miss Valda Stone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stone of Kingsport, Tenn., has arrived at Manila with the U. S. A. concert unit. Miss Stone who is known to have a superior voice is the niece of Mrs. J. A. Evans of this city and has visited here on many occasions. Miss Stone was fortunate enough to meet Mrs. J. A. Evans, Jr., her cousin who is stationed there and they have been doing some sightseeing together and from last reports were scheduled to attend the trial of Hiroshima.

The Crusade for Christ Fund Campaign Extended

The Crusade for Christ Fund of \$25,000,000.00 by Americans for relief and reconstruction of people and churches in the War Areas has been extended from January 31 through Sunday, February 3.

The Main Street Methodist Church has raised \$900 and is anxious to reach its quota of \$1200 by Sunday, February 3. The plate collection at the Sunday morning service will go to this fund. E. S. Drake, is the treasurer of this fund.

After a stay of six weeks spent at Hotel Reed, Mrs. J. Sloan and son Capt. J. T. Sloan, Jr., left for their home in Centerville, Michigan. Miss Margie Sloan, who was also a guest, during the Christmas holidays, has resumed her studies at Newcomb College in New Orleans.